

2000 of the Finest Dogs in the World Will Be Seen in Rings at Westminster Show in Garden This Week

GARDEN TO BE HUGE KENNEL THIS WEEK

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ENTRY LARGEST IN YEARS

Madison Square Garden will be transformed into a huge kennel this week. The Westminster Kennel Club will hold its forty-first annual dog show there on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday and will play host to nearly 2,000 of the best canines in the world. The entry for the show is the largest in several years and the officers are confident that the time honored fixture will be both a sporting and social success.

Among the many new exhibitors will be Mrs. Anita Baldwin of Santa Anita, Cal. This noted fancier is the largest individual exhibitor. She has entered a host of bulldogs, Airedales and Russian wolfhounds and has chartered a special car for the dogs and kennelmen for the trip. Mrs. Baldwin has imported many of the best bulldogs, Airedales and wolfhounds that ever left Great Britain and she has many successful homebreds.

Mrs. Baldwin gives trophy. Mrs. Baldwin has entered as the Anoka Kennels and has given a trophy for the best dog bred by the exhibitor in all breeds in which she has made entries. Among the Anoka bulldogs will be the famous champion "Falls" worth White Knight, Candover Lady, Little Gaysome, Irish Peacekeeper of Anoka and some young stock by White Knight. The Russian wolfhounds will include Koska of Valley Farm, Grom of Valley Farm, Nordkin of Anoka and youngsters by the English champion Ramon de Radium. The Airedales to be entered will be Tintin Tip Top, White-bark Tyrant, champion Cherry Tree Queen, Stockfield Tina and some homebred puppies.

Col. Jacob Ruppert is the strongest exhibitor of St. Bernards. Boy Blue, the smooth which won the cup for the best St. Bernard at the last Westminster show, and Fortia, a new importation, a daughter of Boy Blue, which won the championship at the Richmond show when only 9 months old, are among his representatives. There are also some new rough coated imports and many homebreds in the Ruppert entry. There is a very large entry of Sealyham terriers, with the Locust Lane Kennels, Effingham Lawrence, Mrs. Payne Whitney and W. Ross Proctor prominent among the exhibitors. Mr. Proctor will bring out the great English champion Hadley Woodwind, said to be the best type of the breed ever seen in Great Britain, which has recently arrived at his Brookwood Kennels.

Mrs. Grace to Exhibit.

Mrs. W. Russell Grace will make a first appearance as an exhibitor of Danes Dinmont terriers. The Killman and Potford kennels will be her chief rivals in the breed. Irish terriers are to be shown in strength by J. L. Thorndike, John G. Bates, L. H. Fowler, Mrs. M. B. Bruckheimer, The Mimes B. and G. de Copet, Walecott Kennels and W. Ross Proctor have entries of Welsh terriers and dachshunds. The dachshunds are entered by L. Raymond Freer, Walecott Kennels, Miss E. M. Mellon, Miss Margaret Coulter, Mrs. D. H. Evans, Walter T. Stern and Mrs. M. B. Bruckheimer. Airedales also have a strong entry that includes new importations. Among the exhibitors of West Highland white terriers will be Mrs. A. Warner, Willard D. Straight, Miss M. Van Schaik and Effingham Lawrence.

Gun dogs have a splendid representation in all breeds from cocker spaniels, clumber spaniels and the wire haired pointers, Griffons. Among the leading exhibitors are the Mepal, Pen Craig and Cassie Kennels, Brookside Kennels, Lord A. W. de Munn, Armstrong, Dr. James E. Hall, Bon White Kennels, Dr. H. M. Beck, W. T. Payne, J. J. Graham and the Runnymede Kennels. Both English and American foxhounds have creditable entries. The pack glass specialists in these two breeds and in beagles will be the feature of Friday afternoon. Pekingese and Pomeranians lead the toy breeds, the exhibitors including many new aspirants for the blue ribbon.

ANTON ROST TO JUDGE.

Selected to officiate at Woodmere Kennel Club's Match.

Eight prominent fanciers have been selected by the Woodmere Kennel Club to judge at the club's annual match, which will be held in the Hotel McAlpin on March 19. They are: Fred Moffet—French bulldogs, Miss Lester—English bulldogs, Japanese spaniels, toy spaniels, Mrs. Koellin—Pomeranians, Maltese, toy poodles, Yorkshire and black and tan. Mrs. Lester and Miss Hall—Pekingese, William F. Kinder of Boston, Maine—Boston terriers, G. Muss-Arnold—Unclassified specials.

MISS COLLAR NOT ENTERED.

Harvey Ladew Will Show Her and Two Others.

Harvey Ladew, the noted amateur sportsman of Brookline, L. I., will show three wire haired fox terriers at the Westminster show. They are Miss Collar North of Faginton, Our Miss York and Fox Hills Boy Scout. Miss Collar is a recent importation. In a try-out for the Westminster she was judged best. Experts present at that show declared Miss Collar will give a good account of herself in any kind of company.

MRS. NELSON TO BENCH SEVEN.

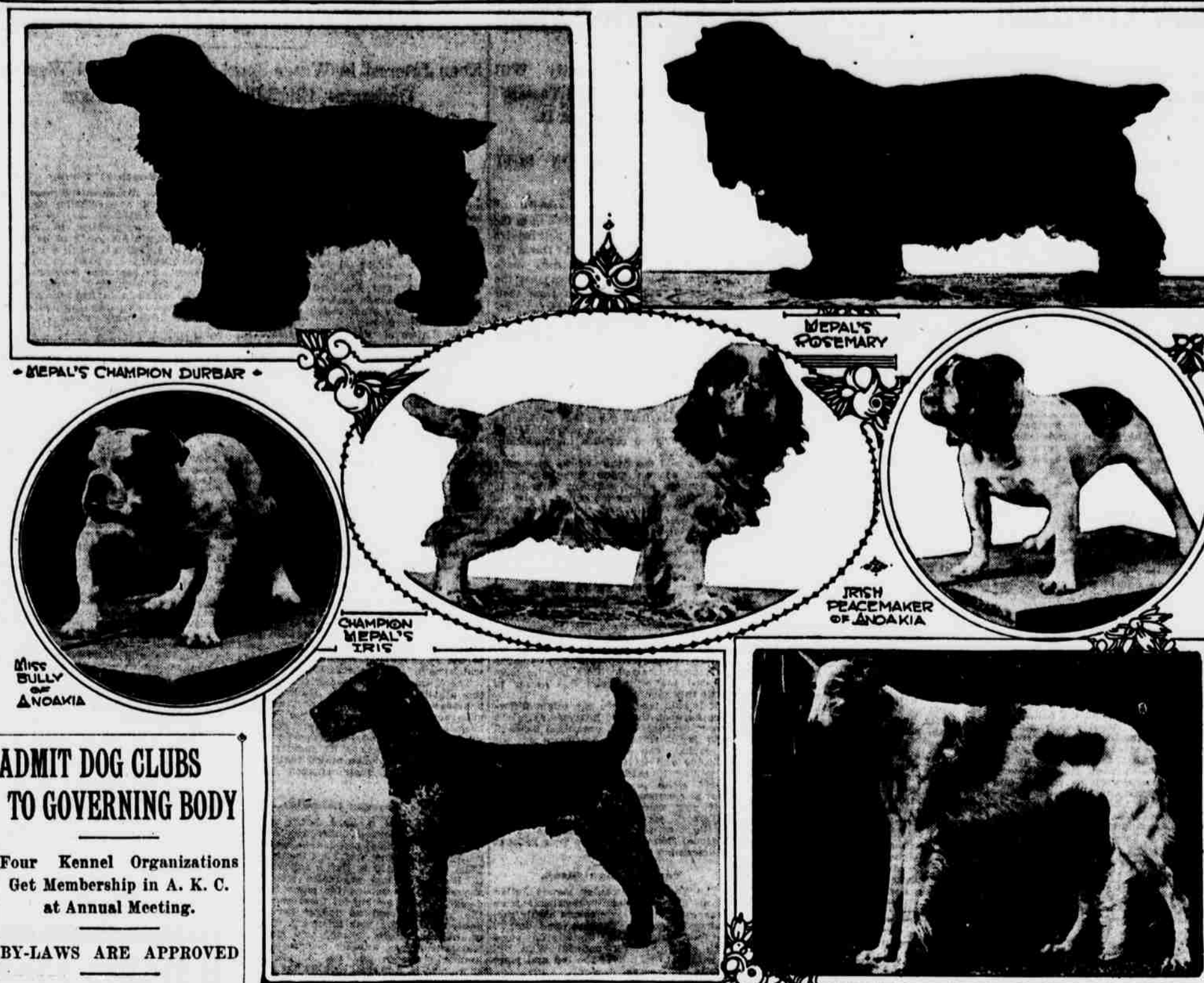
Among Her Entries Are Baby Dancer and Holmby Revue.

Mrs. C. P. Nelson of Middlebury, N. J., will show seven wire haired fox terriers, including champion Baby Dancer and Champion Holmby Revue, which won their titles while the property of George Quintard. Mrs. Nelson's other entries are Oxford Highway Corker, Ridgeway Gypsy Maid, Roscroft Bob Acres, Roscroft Jersey Lightning and Roscroft Peggy.

DINNER IN GREGORIAN.

The Ginner Rheodog Club of America will hold its annual dinner in the Hotel Gregorian next Saturday night. Tickets may be secured from Benjamin H. Troop of Scranton, Pa., the secretary, or from Mrs. C. Halstead Yates, the president. More than a hundred lovers of the breed have signified their intention of attending, and it is expected that twice that number will be present.

DOGS WHICH WILL REPRESENT MEPAL AND ANOAKIA KENNELS AT WESTMINSTER



ADMIT DOG CLUBS TO GOVERNING BODY

Four Kennel Organizations Get Membership in A. K. C. at Annual Meeting.

BY-LAWS ARE APPROVED

The annual meeting of the American Kennel Club, which was held at 1 Liberty street last Tuesday afternoon, was attended by delegates from every section of the country. Thirty-six clubs were represented, including the Arizona Kennel Club, Canton Kennel Club, Los Angeles Kennel Club and Worcester Kennel Club, which were elected to membership at the meeting. The new delegates admitted were A. McClure Halley, Genesee Valley Kennel Club; Robert F. Smith, French Bulldog Club of America; Edward F. Starks, Brunswick Foxhounds; Richard R. Lawrence, Boston Fox Terrier Club, and S. J. Held of Washington, D. C.

PRINCE'S DOGS ARE VEGETARIANS

Picou and Bielka Refuse to Eat Meat in Hotel Majestic Kennels.

An interesting experiment was tried on two vegetarian dogs this week. The canines are Picou and Bielka, Samoyede sledge dogs born in Siberia. They are owned by Prince Paul Troubetzkoy, the sculptor, who lives at the Hotel Majestic. The Prince is a vegetarian. Bielka is the mother of Picou, and has never tasted meat. Picou was brought up in the same way. They are pure white in color and have a fine coat of hair. They have thrived on vegetables and dog biscuits and have fine, glossy coats. The mother is 14 years old and the son is 10. They dogs are kept in the kennels at the Hotel Majestic. The other day an attendant who was new on the job placed some scrap bones in front of the sledge dogs. Bielka sniffed at them disdainfully and Picou with utter nonchalance turned his back. The attendant was alarmed. He reported to his superior that the "two white dogs" would be terribly ill. "They won't eat a bone," he said, "and when a dog won't even sniff at a bone he's ill."

TO REVISE PEEK STANDARD.

Specialty Club Decides That Gretequenses Is Chief desideratum.

America's standard for the Pekingese spaniel is to be revised. That was decided at the annual meeting of the Pekingese Club of America at the Waldorf-Astoria yesterday afternoon. The members were of the opinion that the present standard is highly contradictory in its terms. This is especially evident in the section which states that the Pekingese shall have a smooth mouth yet at the same time shall have combative expression. The club decided that the primary desideratum in a Pekingese is grotesqueness, and that the new standard shall be worded to bring that out. Mrs. Michael Stewart, Henry C. Freeman and William K. Wood, committee members, were authorized to appoint a committee to revise the standard which shall report back to the club at its next general meeting.

FAMOUS FANCIER ABSENT.

Mrs. Crawford Will Not Show Her Dogs in Garden This Week.

For the first time in several years the famous dogs belonging to Mrs. G. Crawford, owner of the Vickery Kennels of Barrington, Ill., will not be seen at the Westminster show. Mrs. Crawford made a single entry, Mrs. Crawford has one of the largest variety kennels in the world. Her terriers and Airedales have won international fame. She has not been in the country for some time. It was expected that she would have one of the largest entries at the show.

LINCOLN TO ATTEND SHOW.

E. K. Lincoln, who left here on February 10 for a ten day trip South, stopped long enough in New Orleans to inform his New York office that he would return in time to attend the Westminster Dog Show, which begins on February 20, where he has twenty-five entries, including four dogs which arrived on the Baltic a few weeks ago.

On Floor and Field With School Athletic Followers

Champion Wire Haired Fox Terrier Is Entered in Several Specials.

The high schools basketball tournament which is being conducted by the Public Schools Athletic League for the public high school students of Greater New York is now in its eleventh week. This tournament has developed into the most exciting of any held in former years. The reversal of form in playing of several leading teams during the early part of the series was a great surprise to the followers of basketball. Bushwick High School team is leading in the regular classes. Besides Yale, the Brooklyn team is playing a fine game of basketball. Eastern District, De Witt Clinton and Boys High schools also have excellent teams. The standing of the teams to February 15 follows:

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Matford Vic, the wonderful little wire haired fox terrier, which was crowned king of the canine world last year, and in 1915, will go before the judges at the Westminster show in the Garden this week, but under new ownership. This champion of champions, which scored highest honors for George Quintard, has changed kennels. From George Quintard's Ridgeway home he has been transferred to Mrs. Roy A. Rainey's Concho Kennels. He will not be seen in competition. Like last year he will repose in state until all the breeds have been judged. Then he will be brought forth for the specialists, in which premier honors of the show will be decided.

While he is on exhibition Mrs. of his kennel mates will be striving for honors in the regular classes. Besides Vic, Mrs. Rainey has entered Concho Uncle Sam, Concho Highboy, Concho Wyocoll, Roy, Concho Parcel Post, Champion Wireboy of Faginton, Champion Grey-croft Saxon, Concho Century Girl, Concho Enticement and Biddy of Hollyport.

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SIX EXPERTS ENTER MARCONI RIG FAST

Gardner to Defend Title at 18.2 Balkline in Boston. A. A. Tournay.

The annual class A 18.2 balkline tournament of the National Association of Amateur Billiard Players will begin at the Boston Athletic Club one week from tomorrow. It will be conducted under the supervision of the New England Amateur Billiard Players Association, an auxiliary of the national association. The officers of the New England association are T. Henry Clarkson, president; Nathan Hall, vice-president; Richard Engstrom, treasurer; A. L. Fowler, secretary.

The contestants will include Edward W. Gardner of Montclair, N. J., the present champion; Julius Klingner of New York, Eugene Milburn of Memphis, Tenn., and Blake of San Diego. Nathan Hall and T. Henry Clarkson are graduates of Harvard, of which Mr. Clarkson was at one time the college billiard champion. Neither has played in other than local competitions, but each is recognized as a strong exponent of balkline. Hall, who has on occasions vanquished Joseph May of Philadelphia and Charles Hodder of Dowagiac, Mich., is considered the most skilful amateur in the country.

Gardner Can Win Cup.

Gardner has demonstrated his quality as a tournament player by finishing first in five championship events. His successes were achieved in 1901, 1906, 1910, 1914 and 1916. He is now the owner of one cup. Should he win at Boston he will become the owner of another. The conditions governing the championship trophy stipulate that it shall become the personal property of a player who wins it twice, not necessarily consecutively.

Milburn participated in the national association tournament at the Amateur Billiard Club, New York, in 1914, and at the Union League, Philadelphia, in 1915. He did not perform well in either series, but was not discouraged. If he acquires himself in a manner corresponding to his practice at home he should be an important factor in the coming tournament.

APPLEBYS NOT TO PLAY HAS MANY ADVANTAGES

Tall masts rigged with freakish sails may be common among the yachting headquarters of Boston and New York next summer if all the enthusiasts having the new designs make use of them. The Marconi rig, so popular in England, has gained numerous friends on this side, its chief supporter being Charles Francis Adams 2d, of Boston, owner of the Ahmesek. He already has declared he will use the rig on the Ahmesek, which has been made to fit the 31 rating class.

John S. Harold, a member of the regatta committee of the Eastern Yacht Club, recently returned from England. While abroad he had a chance to gain an insight into the rig that European yachtsmen call fast by means of our gaff rig. Mr. Harold said that he was of the opinion that the Marconi rig with its extremely tall mast was much faster in windward work, but on the other hand it was not so well adapted to the Marconi sort they are willing to give it a trial.

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HOUSEBOATS CHARTERED.

Much activity is being displayed right now in the chartering of houseboats for the Southern use. People whose vacation time is necessarily limited are giving greater preference each year to February and March as the months for Southern cruises because those who go earlier suffer from the rigors of the northern climate.

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Change in Racing Course.

In the racing for the new Lister cup in the 31 rating class the Boston Yacht Club inside course in Hurl Bay may be eliminated. Unless this club can sail the races the club would have to sail the races over the outside course the South Shore may lose some of its best racing events.

Class B owners feel that there is not enough water over the usual Hurl course to make racing the B boats free from danger. The Boston club has, however, several good outside courses off Point Allerton, which would be open to the open races. This matter will be discussed with the committee in charge of making the rules which will govern the racing for the new trophy this year.

Minneapolis Regatta.

Active preparation for the Mississippi Valley Power Boat Association regatta in Minneapolis July 3, 4 and 5 will be in the hands of a series of committees. This event is the largest of its kind in the United States and the organization and preparatory work involve a large amount of time and money. The regatta committee is best to divide the work among a series of committees rather than to attempt to allow one central committee to handle all the details.

New One Design Class.

Tacht racing in the one design class is sure to be keener than ever this year. In addition to the "offshore" and "forties" the Larchmont regatta class will be sandwiched in between the "forties" and the "thirties." Work on this new one design class is progressing rapidly. Dr. Wood and McCall are of City Island.

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POWER BOAT CHALLENGE.

Lake George B. A. Seeks Cup Won by the Miss Minneapolls.

The Lake George Regatta Association has challenged the Minneapolis Boat Association for the American Power Boat Association's gold cup, now held by the mile a minute boat Miss Minneapolls.

The Hawk Eye II, owned by A. L. Judson, president of the A. P. B. A., has been named by the Lake George Regatta Association as its representative in the races are to be held in September over a surveyed course on Lake Minneapolls. Although it is quite likely that the Miss Minneapolls will be able to duplicate her performance of last year it is pretty certain that the defenders will not be content to rest on their laurels, but will build a new high powered boat to meet the Hawk Eye II in an effort to establish a new world record for a thirty mile course.

TRACK MEN LOST TO TEAM.

Amherst Athletics Fail to Pass Mid-Year Examination.

Amherst, Feb. 17.—Amherst's track team will be hard hit as a result of the mid-year examinations. Two of the men whom Coach Neilman had expected to be among the mainstays of his team have been rendered ineligible as a result of mid-year tests.

The loss of Hunter, probably the best all-around athlete in college, will be felt. Hunter is a good hurdler, jumper, pole vaulter and weight thrower. Young of the Freshman class, a former Andover distance man, also is out of the running. With these, as well as minor losses, Coach Neilman foresees difficulty in turning out a winning track team.

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